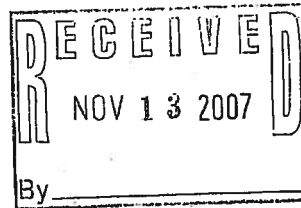


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**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

November 9, 2007

Mark Sielski  
Tetra Tech EC, Inc.  
1000 The American Road  
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**Re: Remedial Investigation**  
Magna Metals, Site #360003  
Cortlandt, NY

Dear Mr. Sielski,

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation ("the Department" or NYSDEC) has completed a preliminary review on the Remedial Investigation report (RI) submitted August 30, 2007 for the above referenced site. The Department has also reviewed and approved the Soil Vapor Investigation report, submitted by AKRF, Inc., relating to the indoor air concerns and has requested soil vapor monitoring until such time that a mitigation system is installed.

After reviewing these reports the Department has determined that additional investigation is necessary. It appears that the contaminated soil vapor below the polymedco building may be the result of a source separate from the leach pit area. A historic map included in Appendix A of the RI shows that drums were stored in the area just outside of the building. In addition, the area to the north and west of the buildings and parking lot has been identified as a class 2 wetland and under the recommendation of the NYSDEC Division of Fish, Wildlife and Marine Resources, investigation is necessary to determine whether this area has also been impacted by site related contamination.

Per the consent order, the Respondent shall modify and/or amplify and expand a submittal upon the Department's direction to do so if the Department determines, as a result of reviewing data

generated by an activity required under this Order or as a result of reviewing any other data or facts, that further work is necessary.

The Department recommends the use of a Geoprobe to take a number of soil and groundwater samples in each of these areas. A work plan must be submitted to the Department within 30 days from receipt of this letter. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact me at (518) 402-9768.

Sincerely,



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